

POPPLETON HISTORIC STUDY

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<u>Block</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Address</u>
188	6-1	859-869 W. Lexington Street

Approximate age

<u>1800-1845</u>	<u>1845-1860</u>	<u>1865-1880</u>	<u>1880-1896</u>	<u>1896-on</u>
	859-863 867	865, 869		

<u>Rating</u>	<u>Architectural</u>	<u>Condition</u>
A	Significant-save	good fair poor bad
B	Quality-Indiv./groups-save	good fair poor bad
<u>C</u>	Important to street/groups	good fair <u>poor bad</u>
D	Insignificant/detrimental	good fair poor bad

Notable features:

The gable roofed houses 859, 861, 865 and 867 could be slightly earlier (1800-1845). Several styles are represented in the row. Numbers 865-867 have doors at the street with no steps. Number 869 is the most recent of the group with original store front and cornice. It should be kept, though damaged, because of its Poppleton Street front-side.

Environmental context:

Number 869 damaged by fire; numbers 859 and 867 are vacant. Although lots at 857-847 are vacant from recent demolition, the 859-869 group can stand on its own. They have good scale house-to-house. Across the street is Poe Homes. Street is wide and busy; needs street trees.



Sun. 6 May 1851

Well built 2 story brick store and dwelling corner Lexington and Poppleton, 19 feet front, 62 feet deep, an excellent stand for the retail grocery and liquor business. There is a pump of fine water at the door. Apply on the premises to Peter Mullen, southeast corner of Lexington and Poppleton.

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Block 0188 Lots 006-001  
Baltimore City  
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